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## FIFTY-SEVENTH CONGRESS.

Washington, May 16.—Senate—An extended speech by Mr. McLaughlin (Miss.) in opposition to the pending Philippine government bill was a feature of Thursday's session of the senate. The Mississippi senator vigorously assailed the administration's policy in the Philippines. He deprecated the outrages perpetrated in the islands, whether they were committed by the Filipinos or by the Americans. The bill providing for the erection of a union railway station in Washington and the fortifications appropriation bill were passed.

House—The house was plunged into an exciting debate on Philippine affairs. Thus far the subject of alleged atrocities in the islands has engaged the attention of the senate alone and only occasional echoes have been heard in the house. But Thursday the reports of cruelty and outrages were rehearsed in the house with vehemence and bitterness. The naval bill was the order of the day, but it received scant attention after the allegations of Philippine outrages were presented. General debate on the naval bill closed at 4 o'clock and when the house adjourned the measure was being read for amendment.

Washington, May 17.—Senate—An effort was made by Mr. Lodge (Mass.) in the senate to induce the minority to fix a time when a vote might be taken on the Philippine government bill but Mr. Dubois (Ida.), speaking for the democratic side, did not desire to specify a date for the vote. Assurances were given that the minority was not seeking for delay, but wished simply that discussion should be exhausted before the vote was taken.

House—The house had another lively day of debate, Philippine atrocities and the Schley case coming in for considerable attention after the more exciting themes of debate came up.

Washington, May 20.—Senate—Only a brief time was devoted by the senate Monday to consideration of the Philippine government bill. Mr. Doliver (Ia.) supported the bill, which he said was one of the most important pieces of constructive legislation presented since the civil war. He insisted that the Philippine insurrection as a military proposition, was a thing of the past, and declared that in no circumstances would the United States relinquish the Philippines.

House—Before adjournment Monday the house passed the naval appropriation bill. The feature of the appropriation bill on the amendment offered by Mr. Roberts (Mass.) providing that three of the ships provided for in the bill, a battleship, cruiser and a gunboat, shall be built in government yards. Mr. Adams (Pa.) made a point of order against the amendment, which Mr. Sherman sustained, but on appeal by Mr. Roberts the chair was overruled and the amendment was agreed to. Under a suspension of the rules the bill for eight hour work on all government contracts was passed, also a bill authorizing the construction of a national sanitarium for disabled soldiers at Hot Springs, S. D.

Washington, May 21.—Senate—The subject of the concentration of the inhabitants in the Philippines into camps was a leading topic of the discussion of the Philippine bill in the senate Tuesday.

House—For a third time within a week the house has instructed its conferees on matters of dispute between the senate and house Tuesday. The instructions were given on amendments in the army appropriation bill before the conferees had even considered the matters in controversy. The motion to instruct was made by Mr. Cannon (Ill.), chairman of the appropriations committee. It was resisted by Mr. Hull, chairman of the committee on military affairs, and the somewhat spirited debate which followed developed antagonism between the committees. The amendment at which Mr. Cannon aimed was that which increased the appropriation for military posts from three to four million dollars. A resolution offered by Mr. Hitt, chairman of the foreign affairs committee, felicitating Cuba on her independence was passed unanimously. A bill amending the passport law was passed. The remainder of the day was devoted to private claims bills.

Washington, May 22.—Senate—Before the senate resumed consideration of the Philippine bill it adopted a resolution congratulating the republic of Cuba upon its entry into the family of independent nations, and the secretary of state was directed to transmit the resolution to the president of the republic. The senate also ordered the Associated Press account of the ceremonies of the transfer from the United States to the Cuban authorities printed in the Congressional Record, and as a public document.

House—The house began consideration of the immigration bill Wednesday. The principal speech was made by Mr. Seaborn (O.), chairman of the committee on immigration. He was especially severe in his condemnation of the manner in which immigrants are introduced through Canada and by Canadian railway and steamship companies. Mr. Underwood (Ala.) gave notice of an amendment to provide an educational test and much of the discussion during the day was upon this subject. The house earlier in the day settled three contested election cases in favor of sitting members and passed a number of bills of minor importance.

One Killed and Eight Injured.  
Pittsburg, Pa., May 20.—One man is reported dead and eight injured as a result of the explosion of a tank of gasoline Monday at 908 Winnebago street, south side.

Ladies' Anti-Bee Trust Association.  
New York, May 19.—Five hundred East Side Hebrew men and women met Sunday and formed the Ladies' Anti-Bee Trust association. They elected Mrs. Carolyn Schatzberger president and she appointed Mrs. Pauline Frickel treasurer.

Transfer Confirmed.  
London, May 19.—The Liverpool Daily Post asserts that at the meeting of the White Star line held the agreement to transfer the line to the Atlantic shipping combine was unanimously confirmed.

## DOMESTIC ABILITY.

The Girl from Finland Had a Unique Specialty in the Line of Housework.

An aristocratic East European woman, who has had the usual number of failures in the way of domestic, having tried nearly every nationality, heard the other day that a number of girls had come here from Finland to seek employment as servants and that they were timely recommended as strong, intelligent, capable and generally excellent help, relates the Duluth News-Tribune.

With high hope the housekeeper hid her to the office where these paragon were on exhibition, and was soon brought face to face with a brawny specimen, who could not speak a word of English. With the aid of an interpreter the following conversation took place:

"Can you cook?"  
"Oh, no."  
"Can you wash and iron?"  
"No."  
"Can you sweep and dust or clean house?"  
"I have never done anything like that."  
"For goodness sake," exclaimed the astonished matron to the interpreter, "ask her what she can do."  
With calmness and composure the reply came back: "I can milk reindeers!"

## HE LOOKED DIFFERENT.

The Barber Had Shaved Him Before, But Failed to Recognize His Healed Face.

A Ninth street barber owns up that the following experience was his own less than a month ago. An actor from a neighboring theater dropped in one afternoon to be shaved, and seemed disinclined to talk. The barber, says the Philadelphia Times, is a believer in the theory of his tribe that conversation makes the process of shaving easier for the shaver—that the time seems to pass more quickly if the customer can be interested in this or that topic for the few necessary minutes. He tried the actor on the weather, the beef trust, the asphalt scandal and the new filtration plant without success. Then, just to keep things going, he asked:

"You have never been shaved in here before, have you, sir?"  
"Oh, yes," replied the actor. "I was in here once when we played across the street about 18 months ago—in the beginning of last season, it was."  
"Strange that I don't remember your face," commented the barber.  
"Well, you see," came from his victim, "my face has healed up since then."

## Second Kings, Fourth Chapter, Tenth Verse.

If you read this verse you will find the basis for the little story printed in The Four-Track News for May, which is entitled "The Prophet's Chamber." The Four-Track News will be sent free to any address in the United States for one year for 50 cents; single copies, 5 cents. Address Geo. H. Daniels, Publisher, Grand Central Station, New York.

## Accounted For.

Gladys—So Ferdie has been tracing back his ancestry?  
Ethel—Yes, and found his first ancestor was a garbage contractor.  
"I thought he seemed 'in the dumps' about something."—Judge

I do not believe Piso's Cure for Consumption has an equal for coughs and colds.—John F. Boyer, Trinity Springs, Ind., Feb. 15, 1900.

Every man has a right to his own opinion, but comparatively few of them have anything more than the right.—Puck.

Do your best to-day and you will be able to do better to-morrow.—Ram's Horn.

## THE MARKETS.

Cincinnati, May 21.	
CATTLE—Common	3 75 @ 5 25
Steers—Choice	6 10 @ 6 50
CALVES—Extra	7 00 @ 7 20
HOGS—Ch. packers	7 05 @ 7 20
Mixed packers	6 75 @ 7 00
SHEEP—Extra	5 80 @ 5 75
LAMBS—Spring	5 50 @ 5 75
FLOUR—Spring pat.	3 90 @ 4 15
WHEAT—No. 2 red.	84 @ 84 1/2
CORN—No. 2 mixed	65 1/2 @ 66
OATS—No. 2 mixed	46 @ 46
RYE—No. 2	61 1/2 @ 61 1/2
HAY—Ch. timothy	14 00 @ 14 00
PORK—Clear	19 00 @ 19 00
LARD—Steam	10 25 @ 10 25
BUTTER—Ch. dairy	16 1/2 @ 16 1/2
Choice creamery	24 @ 24
APPLES—Fancy	4 50 @ 5 00
POTATOES—Old	2 25 @ 2 75
New	3 50 @ 4 00
TOBACCO—New	2 95 @ 10 75
Old	7 90 @ 15 75

Chicago.	
FLOUR—Win. patent	3 90 @ 4 00
WHEAT—No. 2 red.	81 @ 83
No. 3 spring	80 @ 81
CORN—No. 2 mixed	62 1/2 @ 62 3/4
OATS—No. 2 mixed	42 1/2 @ 43
RYE—No. 2	60 1/2 @ 61
PORK—Mess	17 15 @ 17 20
LARD—Steam	10 40 @ 10 42 1/2

New York.	
FLOUR—Win. patent	3 85 @ 4 05
WHEAT—No. 2 red.	88 1/2 @ 88 3/4
CORN—No. 2 mixed	68 1/2 @ 68 1/2
OATS—No. 2 mixed	47 @ 47
RYE—Western	65 @ 65
PORK—Mess	18 00 @ 18 50
LARD—Steam	10 75 @ 10 75

Baltimore.	
WHEAT—No. 2 red.	80 @ 86 1/2
Southern	80 @ 87
CORN—No. 2 mixed	66 1/2 @ 67
OATS—No. 2 mixed	48 @ 48
CATTLE—Butchers	6 25 @ 6 75
HOGS—Western	7 30 @ 7 40

Louisville.	
WHEAT—No. 2 red.	84 @ 84
CORN—No. 2 mixed	68 1/2 @ 68 1/2
OATS—No. 2 mixed	44 1/2 @ 44 1/2
PORK—Mess	17 00 @ 17 00
LARD—Steam	10 00 @ 10 00

Indianapolis.	
WHEAT—No. 2 red.	82 @ 82
CORN—No. 2 mixed	64 1/2 @ 64 1/2
OATS—No. 2 mixed	44 @ 44 1/2

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Miss Ruth Emerson, 72 Sycamore st., Buffalo, N. Y., writes: "I suffered for two years with irregular and painful menstruation, and Pe-ru-na cured me within six weeks. I cannot tell you how grateful I feel. Any agency which brings health and strength to

the afflicted is always a welcome friend, and to-day the market is so filled with useless and injurious medicines that it is a pleasure to know of so reliable a remedy as you place before the public."—Miss Ruth Emerson.

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